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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2006, and the telephone Interview with the Examiner on June 13, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the present Amendment. Although the last Office Action was final, the present Amendment cancels the rejected claims and accepts the allowed claims. Therefore, entry of the present Amendment without filing of a Request for Continued Examination is respectfully requested. A Petition for a one-month extension of time accompanies this Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.